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Speaker for Wiley Centennial Event

Ray S. Cline, deputy director for intelligence, Central Intelligence Agency, has accepted an invitation to be one of four speakers, all Wiley graduates, at the Wiley Centennial Banquet Nov. 29 at the Terre Haute House. Cline was a graduate with the class of 1935.

Wiley's centennial observance will begin on Wednesday, Nov. 27, with a convocation for students and returning alumni.

Wednesday night and Thanksgiving Day will be reserved for class reunions.

An open house will be held at the school from 1 to 4 p.m. on the afternoon of Nov. 29 and the closing banquet will be held at 6:30 o'clock the same evening.

While at Wiley, Cline was captain of the football team and was an outstanding tackle on the 1934 and 1935 teams coached by V. R. Rutherford, now Wiley's principal. Cline also was on the debate team coached by Miss Winifred Ray.

He won a scholarship to Harvard and retained it through his undergraduate work, receiving AB degree magna cum laude, in 1935. He also holds the A (1941) and the PhD (1949) from Harvard. His major fields were history and literature.

Carried A Record

He was elected to Phi Beta Kappa in the Senior Sixteen, the fall of his senior year at Harvard and won the DETUR prize for an all A record. In 1939 he was awarded the Henry

Prize Fellowship for study at Oxford University in England and in 1939-40 was a resident and candidate B. Litt. student in history at Balliol College of Oxford. He left England by the last civilian transport at the time of the Battle of Dunkirk in June, 1940.

During the following year he was a University Fellow and Proctor at Harvard and was appointed a Junior Fellow, Harvard Society of Fellows.

On leave from Harvard in 1942, he was given an intelligence assignment with the United States Navy. The next three years he was with the Office of Strategic Services, becoming chief of the Current Intelligence Staff and working directly for Deputy Director General John Magruder and Dr. William Langer. In 1945 Cline was awarded Certificate of Merit, OSS.

Cline was recruited by the Department of the Army from 1946 to 1949 to do research in the military planning of World War II. He was initially responsible to Gen. George C. Marshall and subsequently to Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower. Many of Cline's voluminous classified reports were issued in a more compact form as part of the official Military History Series of World War II.

From 1949 to 1951, Cline was with the CIA as chief of the estimates staff. The next two

years he was an attache of the Embassy in London. He served CIA as chief of the Sino-Soviet Bloc staff from 1953 to 1957, during which time he was a member of the United States delegation to the "Summit" Conference in Geneva, Switzerland, of the four-power heads of state.

He is married to the former Marjorie Wilson of Westford, Mass. They have two daughters, Sibyl and Judith.